Monthly Status Report – January 2006 Montana's Action Plan for Co-Occurring Disorders

Policy Academy

- Federal approval of Montana's State Co-Occurring Action Plan.
- Policy Academy member meet on January 31st (minutes of the meeting available).

Training/Presentations

- Gallatin and Park County provided 4 trainings (2 in each area). The training focused
 on both adult and adolescent issues. The trainings provided an overview of the MT
 co-occurring initiative as well as the Gallatin and Park Counties co-occurring initiative
 and the work that is being done with Minkoff and Cline.
- Gallatin and Park Counties also offered the training to staff of their co-occurring group, mental health facilities in Bozeman and Livingston and the Local Advisory Council members.

COST(Co-Occurring Strategic Team)

- Agenda established for the 2/9 conference call with Change Agents
- Ongoing phone consultation with Minkoff and Cline regarding the role of the Change Agents
- Tentative agenda set for the technical assistance meeting set on April 4th & 5th.

AMDD Co-Occurring Executive

• The next meeting is scheduled for February 13th.